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Attached hereto is a "Supplement to Interview Summary" concerning the February 11, 2003 interview for Serial Nos. 09/501,622; 09/678,730; 09/009,837; 09/110,678; 09/111,160; 09/362,693; 09/009,455; 09/669,877; 09/111,003; 09/501,621; 09/225,687; 10/076,590; and 09/813,792.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Wayne A. Langel whose telephone number is (703) 308-0248. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday through Friday from 8 A.M. to 3:30 P.M.

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Supplement to Interview Summary

The following is a supplement to the summary concerning the February 11, 2003 interview re 09/501,622, etc. The attendees were Mr. Melcher, Examiner Langel, Examiner Kalafut, Dr. Mills, Mr. Simenauer, SPE Stanley Silverman, SPE Pat Ryan, Congressional Aid Ted Liu, Mr. Brewer, Examiner Wayner, and QAS Douglas McGinty. A two-page Interview Summary was provided by Examiner Langel. A two page "Attachment to Interview Summary Form" also was provided by Mr. Simenauer. While the Attachment may represent the applicant's understanding of the interview, two points must be clarified.

First, the second page of the applicant's attachment states in part: "For those claims that are supported by the data, the PTO agrees to issue those claims." The PTO made no such agreement. Instead, the PTO representatives indicated that the rejections under both 35 USC 101 and 112, 1st para., are outstanding and that evidence as to verification by credible, established, independent third parties would carry more persuasive weight.

Second, QAS Douglas McGinty was not listed in the Examiner's Interview Summary. He was present during the interview with the aforementioned attendees.

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